

THERE was a time when copperheads of the highest and vilest kind could hiss and manifest their venom against the government and its great officials without much fear of public arraignment or opposition. The government and the loyal people were opposed not only by fierce and powerful enemies in the field, but by secret and malicious enemies in their midst. But thanks to the blessings of the God of battles and the loyal patriotic soldiers of the Union, the outward and open enemies of the nation were thoroughly conquered and the copperheads' hissing and malice were silenced. Wise men of this class have since either acknowledged their wrong or kept silent as to their past record, believing that those who live in glass houses should throw no stones. So for a long time past we have heard but little said in regard to the part individuals took in opposition to the war. But Senator Voorhees, of Indiana, it seems, has fallen into the delusion that his record during the war has been forgotten, and so he made a very unwise and savage attack on the Republican party and officials which gave Senator Ingalls, one of the most eloquent and sarcastic speakers in the Senate, an opportunity to review the war record of Senator Voorhees in such a way as made not only that Senator, but the whole nest of copperheads hiss and snap as never before.

Of course such discussions in regard to the war at this late day are not advisable. But public men must remember that they made a record never to be forgotten, that can be called up at any time. And it is a just retribution to the treasonable conduct of men during the trying times of the war. From the report of Senator Ingalls' speech, which appears in the *Congressional Record* of the 8th inst., it would seem that Senator Voorhees received a full recompense of reward for his evil doings.

As it is quite apparent that Congress will take no decided action on the tariff question this session the political grogmeters are preparing for the Presidential race in a manner that can leave no possible loop-hole for any voter to creep through unless the divided "labor" portion of the Democracy, like the prohibitionists, formulate a new party and enter a nag themselves. It is beyond a peradventure now, says an exchange, that the contest of this year will be that of 1884 over again, so far as the candidates are concerned. Grover Cleveland will lead the hosts of the Democracy for a second term and James G. Blaine will be the Republican nominee. The signs of the times all point to this result through the Chicago and St. Louis Conventions. In that event the Democracy must either drop the very low or approachable free trade tariff of President Cleveland's last message, or declare in their platform for a "tariff for revenue only," which comprehends the Randall Democratic idea as against the more formidable Blaine-Republican theory of a "protective" tariff, under which America has always prospered. In this tariff humbug who has ever raised a question except a few demagogues to Congress by honest constituents? These constituents go along unmindful of the peculiar features of the tariff and rejoice over the country's prosperity. No large body of the rank and file of the people have demanded of Congress any change of the tariff, objectionable as the tinkers state it to be. The professional politicians are the tariff remodelers and alarmists.

Mr. Mills of Texas is rather inconsistent. He frankly admits that it would be political suicide to impose upon President Cleveland the duty of either approving or vetoing the Bond-purchase bill. On one hand, it would earn him the enmity of the money power; on the other, that of the people. Yet Mr. Mills has not hesitated to force the tariff issue, and the President backs him. Do they imagine that there is much choice between Free Trade and Single Standard? The administration is avowedly or inferentially committed to both.

There is perhaps no land in the world where the value of irrigation has been more appreciated than in Persia. In that country tunnels have been run a distance of twenty or thirty miles to develop a water supply. The great waste in this State is the waste of water that could be employed in irrigation.

It is reported the Emperor of Austria has offered a partial reconciliation between Milan and Queen Natalie of Serbia, and that the Queen will soon return to Belgrade.

OVER THE WIRES.

Dr. McKenzie on Frederick's Case.

The Usual Daily Fatal Railway Disaster.

Alger's Boom Assuming Great Proportions—France's Darling Rotten-Egged.

FREDERICK'S PHYSICIAN.

A Talk With the Doctor About His Royal Patient.

LONDON, May 15.—The *Full Mail Gazette* prints the following interview between Mr. Stead and Dr. McKenzie: McKenzie looked worn and anxious and showed traces of the long vigils he has maintained in his attendance upon the Emperor. During the interview he was repeatedly summoned to the Emperor's room.

He stated to Stead that his patient is all that could be desired in the way of temper, patience and cheerfulness. He is obedient and trustful and as well-disposed as a child. He bears the pain bravely and does not indulge in needless worrying. The rumor that he had asked the chaplain to pray for his release from his sufferings and that he longed for death were untrue. "It is by no means certain," said the doctor, "that he has made up his mind that he is dying. He does not suffer from the caut, although inflammation and sloughing away of portions of the dead cartilage cause him inconvenience."

Reports of the bad odor pervading the sick room were gross exaggerations. Until his Majesty's recent severe attack of illness, he sat at the table at meal time with his family, and went about, and did not discontinue any one.

The doctor said that if the Emperor's strength improved he hoped he could be removed shortly to Windsor. The Emperor is in the habit of mind common to all chronic, who alternate between the belief that they will live a couple of years when they mentally plan for the future and fear that all will be over with them in a few days. Although apparently robust, his Majesty has not much recuperative power, and this circumstance would have rendered fatal the operation proposed in May of last year.

Dr. McKenzie said, in conclusion: "The Emperor is certainly suffering from perichondritis, which with the disease of the cartilage, is very dangerous, though not necessarily fatal. If he also has a cancer, that will necessarily prove fatal sooner or later."

A TERRIFIC EXPLOSION.

A Train Wrecked and Three Persons Instantly Killed.

DENVER, May 15.—News has reached here that the "Thunderbolt," on the Santa Fe, collided with a freight train near Fountain, at six o'clock yesterday morning. A car of powder in the freight exploded, completely wrecking the train and instantly killing ten and wounding many more. No particulars yet.

LATER.—Advices from Fountain, the scene of the Santa Fe Railway accident, state that the "Thunderbolt" express was standing on the track in front of the station when a caboose and some cars, which got loose in some way, ran down from a sidetrack and struck the train with terrific force. A car loaded with naphtha exploded and the train on fire. While the men were endeavoring to save the cars and depot, another car, containing powder, caught on fire and exploded, completely demolishing the depot, several dwellings and a number of cars. One dwelling and the depot were consumed. One woman and two men were killed by the explosion, and some twelve or fifteen persons wounded, none very seriously. There is a hole in the ground where the car stood thirty feet in diameter and fifteen feet deep. Two cars were burned, and smashed together with the locomotive, are more or less wrecked. It is supposed tramps let off the brakes from the cars.

STANFORD'S CHOICE.

It is Stated That He is Favorable Towards Alger for President.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—Many politicians believe that Senator Stanford is more friendly to ex-Governor Alger than any other Presidential candidate yet mentioned. A gentleman who is regarded as friendly to the railroad interest and an astute politician remarked to a correspondent to-day: "I believe that California and Nevada delegations to the Chicago Convention will support giving Stanford a complimentary vote for Alger."

As for Blaine, I may say, speaking for a gentleman who will have something to say as to who shall be the candidate, that his prospects are not quite so bright as many think.

"I am going to understand that the various gentlemen who aspire to the nomination will be consulted as to the advisability of forming a compact against him. He has had one chance and been defeated, and should retire to give others a chance. At any rate, the railroad people on the Pacific Coast are favorable to Mr. Alger, and he will get all the assistance that can possibly be given him by the California and Nevada delegations."

BOULANGER.

The French General Felted With Eggs and Flour.

PARIS, May 15.—The opponents of Boulanger are taking ignominious means of disturbing his progress. In the department of Nord, at Valenciennes, they showed from the houses as he passed caricatures of the General as a golden calf, and they have created a scene of disorder all along the route. At Lille eggs and flour were thrown at the General. The police had difficulty in clearing the streets and preventing the outrages, which were usually the work of students apparently engaged for the purpose. The General was not concerned, and had a good word for everybody. At Amiens two or three standing at a window were so violent in their demonstrations that they engaged the crowd in the street, which threatened to break into the house.

The two men replied by showing their pistols, whereupon the mob tore up the pavement and smashed in all the doors and windows, and rushed into the building, but they found it empty.

The Golden Rose.

NEW YORK, May 15.—It is said that on the occasion of the laying of the corner-stone of the new Catholic University in Washington on the 24th instant, the Pope will bestow the golden rose on Miss Mary Gwendolen Caldwell, of Ohio City, whose gift of \$300,000 was the nucleus in the movement that resulted in the establishment of what promises to be a great seat of learning. The golden rose was given a few years ago to Mrs. Ellen E. Sherman, for her zeal in promoting the interests of the Catholic Indian mission in the West. Miss Caldwell will be the second woman in this country to receive such a recognition from Rome.

The Meat Problem.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Senator Vest offered a resolution for the appointment of a select committee to examine fully all questions touching the meat product of the United States, and especially as to the transportation and sale of beef and cattle, and whether there exists, or has existed, any combination of any kind by reason of which the prices of beef and cattle have been so controlled or affected as to diminish the prices paid to the producer without lessening the cost of meat to the consumer.

Tennessee's Deadlock.

NASHVILLE, May 15.—The Democratic State Convention met at noon and proceeded to ballot for Governor. The thirty-first ballot resulted: Taylor, 727; Trousdale, 489; McConnell, 111; necessary to a choice, 886.

AN INDIAN AVENGER.

An Indian Murderer Shot by His Victim's Brother.

John Shay, a half-breed Indian, who has long been a terror to the Indians in this neighborhood, and who, it will be remembered, says the *Carson Tribune*, killed an Indian near the old round house, on the V. & T. R. R., about a year and a half ago, received a mortal wound Sunday morning from a rifle in the hands of a brother of the man whom he murdered. The shooting occurred between 9 and 10 o'clock. Shay was standing near the corner of George Meyer's store, opposite the St. Charles Hotel, talking to some other Indians, with his back towards the Main street, when the revenge-seeking Indian rode up on a mustang, and coming to a halt, brought a rifle to his shoulder and shot a bullet into Shay's back. Shay fell to the ground, and the Indian who did the shooting, after looking at his victim a few seconds, rode rapidly away and made good his escape. On examination of the wound it was found that the bullet had passed through the liver and lodged somewhere near the thigh. Shay was conveyed to the Indian camp south of town and the doctor who examined him has given it as his opinion that the wounded Indian would die inside of 24 hours.

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